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A NEXTRAORDINARY MEETING of THE Fifteenth Ordinary General MEET. SHAREHOLDERS in the Company ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Held at the Company's Office, No. 9, Prays Central, Victoria, on MUNDAY, the 21st March, 1898, at 11 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the General Managers for the year ending 31st December, 1897, declaring a Dividend, and electing a Consulting Committee and will be Held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, No. 3. Queen's Road Central, Victoria,
on MONDAY, the 21st March, at 12
o'clock Noon, when the Sut joined Resoluions, which were passed at the Extraordin
ry Meeting held on the 28th February,
1892, will be Submitted for Confirmation as SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS ..

SPECIAL RESOLUTIONS. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-That Articles Nos. 53 and 122 of the

Articles of Association of the Company be altered by eliminating there'rom the word the 21st March, both days inclusive. Bebruary' and substituting therefor the SHEWAN, TOMES & CO., General Managere. Hongkong, March 1, 1898.

SEIP COMPANY, LIMITED,

NOTICE.

having been LOS!, Notice is hereby given

and that the Original Cartificates unless

LIMITED.

MHE Ninth Ordinary Annual General

MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

in the Company will be Held at the Com-

PANY'S OFFICE, No. 9, PRAYA CERTRAL, Victorie, on TUESDAY, the 22nd March,

at 12 o'c'ock Noon, for the purpose of

receiving a Statement of Accounts for

the year ending Slat December, 1897, Declaring a Dividend and electing a Conculting Committee and Auditors.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

pany will be CLOSED from the lith to

CHINA SUGAR RERINING COMPANY

NOTICE

THE Twentio b Ordinary Annual MERT.

the Courant will to He'd at the OFFICES

of the General Agents, at Noon, on WED.

NENDAY, the Zard March, for the purpose

f reseiving their Report with a Starement

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Com-

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

General Agents,

pany will be CLO ED from the 10th to the

LIZON SUGAR REPINING COMPANY,

LIMITED,

of Aco unte to 31s December, 1807.

23rd March, both days inclusive.

Hongkong, March 1, 1898.

ING of the SHAREHOLDERS of

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SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers.

to 22ad March, both days inclusive.

Houghong, March 8, 18 8.

Hougkong, March 1, 1898.

-SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers,

That Article No. 7 be altered by insert ing the words for Extra Reserve Fund immediately after the word 'Fund' in the sixth line of the said Article, and the THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM. words and Extra Reserve Fund immedistely after the word 'Fund' in the seventh

That Article No. 121 be altered by inserting the words and subject to the pro- THE CERTIFICATE of 12 Smanzs visions of Articles 131A and 131B im- 1 Numbered 4,142/4,143 and 4,569/4,578 modistely after the word 'sum' and before | Standing in the Register of this Company the word 'be' in the fourth line of such in the name of Mrs. Guan Lups Rooms

word 'March.'

That the following Articles be inserted that a Duplicate Cartificate for the said 12 mmediately after Article No. 121, and be SHARES will be sessed One Month house numbered Articles 121A, and 121B.

121A. Although the Reserve Fund produced within that period, will hereaft remay amount to the sum of One be held by the Company as null and wide may amount to the sum of One Million Dollars the Directors may never heless at their direction from time to time appropriate a portion of the not income and profits earned by the Company in any our year to the formation of THE GREEN ISLAND CEMENT CO., an additional Reserve Fund, to be

called "Extra Reserve Fund." 121B. The monies standing at the Oredit of the Extra Reserve Fund may be applicable for the equalitwion of dividends, and such monies or some portion thereof may, whenever the Directors shall think it be appropriated towards

the equalitation of dividends. By Order, JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Secretary.

Hongkong, February 28, 1898. HONGKUNG & WHAMPOA DOUK

COMPANY, LIMITED: NOTICE TO SHAREH)LDERS,

MONTRIBUTING SHAREHOLDERS

ore requested to send in a Statement of Business Contributed during the Half-Year ended 81st December, 1897, on or before the loth March, on which date the Accoun's will be CLOSED. By Order of the Board of Directors,

THOS. I. ROBE, Secretary, Hongkong, February 23, 1898.

THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM. PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Twenty. First Ordinary General MEETING of the above Company will be Held at the COMPARY'S OFFICES, No. 9. FINLAYSON GREEN, SINGAPORE, on TUESDAY, the 18th day of April, at Noon, for the pur-

pose of receiving the Directors' Annual Report and Accounts to 31st December, By Order of the Directors,

A S. MURRAY, Becretary.

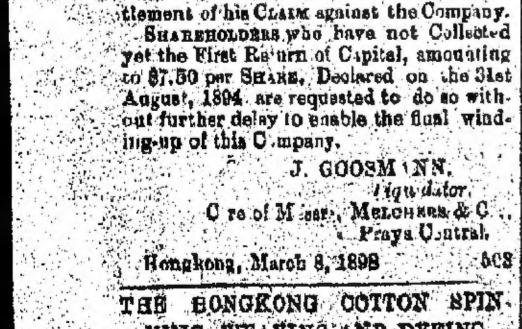
PANY, LIMITED. TOTION is heroby given that the

TRANSFER BOOKS of the above company will on Chango from 29th March to 18th April, 1883, both dige in Bard March, buth days inclusion By Order of the Directors

NOTICE. THE Steenth Ordinary Annual MEET. ING of the BHARESULDERS of the Company will be Reid at the Oppicus of the General Agents, Pedder Street, at 19.80 pm, on WEDNESDAY, 93rd Merch. for the purpose of receiving their Rep re and a Statement of Assounts to Bles II. ..

The THANSPER BOOKS of the Commany will be OU SED from the 10th to JAMDINE HATHMON & CO.

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THE BONGKONG COTTON BPIN 531 NING, WEAVING AND DYKING COMPANY, LIMITED TOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST

INSTALMENT of \$20 per SHARB On the BHARSS in above Company becomes Dushu the Niberberger D y of March next. and PAYMENT thereof must be made to the BANKSIS of the COMPANY, via the Hongrand and Reangual Banking Con-PULLETON, on or be ore that Date. JARDINE MATERION & Co.,

Sental Mouthers Loughout Private in 1886.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE

Hongkong Agent :-

Remlar MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-

MARONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on WeDNESD V, the 16th Tostant at 8 80 for P. 10 p. m. precisely. Visiting Baginess are cordially tayings in attend. And Almerica and annual and

TTHE Undersigned FIRMS have THE Day been Amalgamated and will in future carry on the Bustates under the Name and Style of SANDER, WIELER All Assets and Liabilities of the Former

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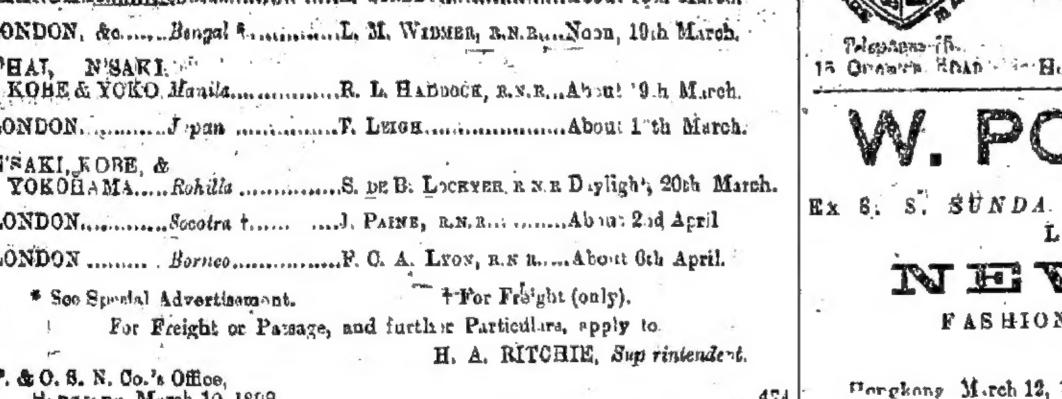
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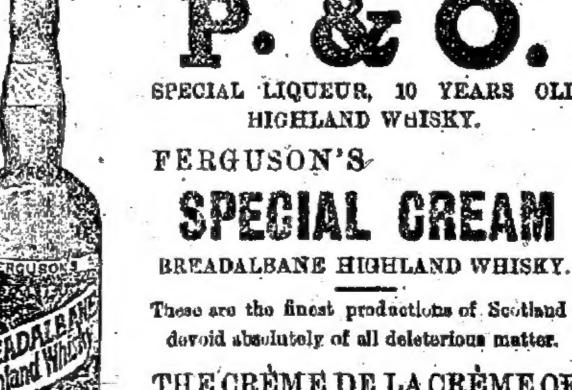
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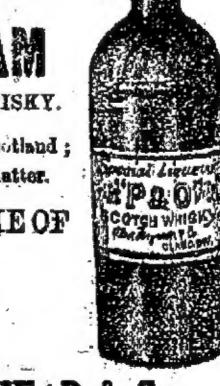


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No. 3 or 1898. Business as above.

TRIDAY, the 18th day of March, 1898, at 12 o'clock at Noon, precisely, has March -14. Mails and General. - MESbeen fixed for the First General Meeting of Oreditors in the above Matter, to be held at the Official Receiver's Office, Land Office, Queen's Road Central, Victoria

proves his debt. Forms of Proof and Proxy can be obtained at the Official Receiver's Office during Office hours. At the First General Meeting the Credi-

tors will be saked to consider whether the Debtors shall be adjudged Bankrupt whether they, the Creditors, will sutertain a proposal for a Composition or Scheme of Arrangement.

Notice of Public Examinations.

No. 16 or 1897. pe n Good : Merchants.

No. 24 or 1897.

Re The SAM KEE Firm, lately carrying ners of the said Firm.

No. 1 or 1898. at 364, Queen's Road Central, Victoria, Hongkong, under the Firm o

be despatched for the MHURSDAY, the 17th day of March, 1898, at 11 o'clock in the Forunces has been fixed for the Public Examinations

> Notice of Application for Dis harge, No. 15 of 1898.

WONG IU HING, lately carrying on Business at No. 51, Banbam Strand, Victoria, Hongkong, as a Silk Piece Gode Dealer.

Captain TAYLEB. will be THE adjourned bearing of the Bankrupt's despatched for the above Application for his Discharge is fixed Ports TO MORROW, the 15th Instant, at for Thursday, the 17th day of Murch inst. 5 p.m., instead of as previously advertised, at 11 o'clock in the Forenoon, at the This Steamer has superior Accommoda-Sporems Court.

tion for Passengers and is fitted with the

Hongkong, March 14, 1898. The Steamship STEAMSHIP ERNEST SIMONS. Captain G. HEUBRMANN,

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

General Managers.

NOTICE.

HOW CLAIMS ARE PAID.

To the Equitable Life Assurance Society

of the United States, London.

Having this day presented at your Office

the papers in connection with my late

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12th March, 1895.

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requesting it to be landed here. Hills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Mon-DAY, the 14th March, at Noon, will be subject to sont and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on or before Mornar, the 14th March, or they

will not be recognised. Damaged Packages will be examined on Moret, ch. Slat March, at 8 p.m. No Fire Insurance has been durated. G, OR OHAMPHAUX.

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Date of Leaving. Butterfield & Swire ... Mar. 16, at 8 p.m. Butterfield & Swire ... Mar. 29, at 8 p.m. Norddeutscher Lloyd Mar. 30, at 9 a.m. Kobe and Yokohama, Yamaguchi Maru (s)... Nippon Yusen Kaisha, Mar. 18, at 4 p.m. Kobé and Yokohama.. Kanagawa Mara (s) ... Nippon Yusau Kuisha. Mar. 23, at 4 p.m. Butterfield & Swire ... March 19. P. & O. S. N. Co About Mar. 19. P. & O. S. N. Qo About April 2. P. & O. S. N. Co.... About April 6. .. P. & O. S. N. Co..... Mar. 19, at noon. London, v. Ports of Cal Oopack (a)...... Holliday, Wise & Co. About Mar. 24. Showan, Tomes & Co Mar, 16, at 5 p.m. Messagories Maritimes Mar, 26, at noon. M'seilles, London, &c. Tosa Maru (s) Nippen Yusen Kaisha. Mar. 18, at 4 p.m. Nagasaki, Kobé & Y'ma Yamashiro Maru (s)... Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Mar. 28, at 4 p.m. New York, v. SuezCanal Benalder (a) Shewan, Tomes & Co. About April 5. NewYork, v. SuezCana: Gaazoo (a) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Match 22... Portland, Oregon, &c. Braemar (a) Dodwell, Carlill & Co. Mar. 15, at noon S. Brancisco. v. Japa City of Rio de J'eiro (a) Pacific Mail S. S. O. Mar 23, daylight. San Francisco....... West York Shewan, Tomes & Co Quick despatch. Shanghai and Kobo....Gisels (s)..................Sander, Wieler & Co... Mar. 19, daylight. S'hai, N'ki, K'bod Y'ma Manila (a) P. & O. S. N. Co..... About Mar. 19. S'pore A stwerpH'burg Crefuld (s) Norddeutscher Lloyd Mar. 15 at 10 a.m. Siemasen & Cu..... About Mar. 30. S'pore, Col'bo & B'bay Idzumi Maru (a) Nippon Yusen Kaisha Mar. 22. at noon. S'poro, Penang & O'tt Kutsang (a) Jardino, Mathoson&C. March 16, at noon S'tow, Amoy & F'chow Haitan (s)...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. Mar 15, at daylight. Sydney & Melbourne. Tokio Maru (a)........ Nippon Yusen Kaisha. April I, at 4 p.m. Tacoma (Wash.), &c... Columbia (a)...... Dodwell, Carlill & Co April 5, at noon. Vancouver (B. C.). v Empress of Japan (s., Clanadian P'fic R. Co Mar. 16, at nonn. Władivostock v. N'ki Sagami Maru (8)..... Nippon Yuson Kaisha. Mar. 18, at 4 p.m.

Frejr, Danish steamer, 395, C. Funder,

Progress, German str., 687, P. Brandt,

Sigon March 8, Rice and General .-

March 14.

Prometh us, British steamer, 3,586, Geo.

Kear, Amoy March 12, General, -Butter

Ernest Simons, Frouch steamer, 2,162,

Alacrity, British despatch-vessel, 1,700,

Handy, British to pedo boat destroyer,

Benvenue, British stemmer, 1,459, J. D.

A. H. Smith-Dorrien, Swatow March 13.

260, Alex inder Gillespie, Swatow March 13.

Sarchet, Saigon March 9, Rice. - GIBB,

DEPARTURES

Erato, for Singapore and Hamburg.

March 13.

March 14.

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Prometheus, for Singapore and London,

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Francisco, Lient. B. C. Scott, U.S.N.

Mrs J. A. Norris, Mrs and Miss F. Wildes,

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der Gol's, Mrs Elman, and Capt. O. J. O.

Per Freje, from Pakhoi, &c., 31 Chinese.

Per Prometheus from Amoy, Mr Mic-

Per Ernest Simons, for Hongkong : from

Colombo, Mesers Ch. Davol, D. R. Mar-

shall, B thelt, Mr and Mrs Ahearn, Mrs

Franklin, Miss Lillias, Miss L. Meech,

Miss Lizzie, Burns, Messrs Eymands,

How Shong, Chenia Asamy and servant,

Naidas, and Rama Ravo ; from Singapore

Mehara A. Fair, S. W. Cartwright, M. C.

meister, Mr Holliday, Miss Satan and

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Clark, Messra Cohn, Davies, Potter, and

Max Heller, Mr and Mrs De Fock, 3 shild-

ren and 1 governoss, and 1 Chinese; from

Saigon, Mr Edwards, Mr Hotian and ser-

vant, Mr Luzar he d'Azar, Miss Ricco, 171

Chinese and I Indian. For Shanghai : from

Marseilles, Dr Arthur Stanley, Messrs T.

K. Loive, Rydzawski, Belaieff, Mr de Nully

and 2 children, Miss Demaison, Sisters

Jeanne, Gabrielle, Louise, Autoinette,

Vincen', and Marie, Rava. Cottin, Bamay,

Chispetto, and Thennissen, and Major

Reynaud ; from Colombo, Mr Lee-Britton ;

from Singapore, Consul and Mrs Joaquin

Paga; from Saigon, Mesers Labrude and

Daley. For N.gasaki : from Singapore,

Mrs Anachamy, Mrs Objonki, Mr Otakoli,

and Mr Hyoshi, For Kohe : from Colombe,

Me and Mre J. Petrico ; from Singapore,

Mr Kobore ; from Saigon, Mesars Akita,

Kawsy, and Yokohi. For Yokohama; from Merseilles, Messra S. Kosaka, T.

Katayama, K. Takayama, K. Adachi, S. J.

Kerbedz and child, Mr Paul May and ser-

vant, Messes Adolphe May, Kochibe, Sughi,

Banmann and child, Fugita, Yoshu, and

Consul Nicolas Matmine : from Susz, Mrs

Catherine A. Blood, Mr James Chambers,

and Mrs Thirese Rawoth ; from Singapore,

Per Benvenue, from Saigon, 60 Chinese.

Shanghai, Messrs Bottu, R. Krause, F. W.

Mr and Mrs Eblers and child, Mrs Mc

Indian and 6 Chinese ; for N sgasaki, Mosers

M. A. Sugamuna (M.D.), M. S. Friede, H. J. v. n Braambook, 2 Japanese girls and 1

Mr F. Bonnet.

E. Samuel, Gates, Gaitskell, Mrs Hoff

2 children, and 262 Chinese.

Pherson, and 1,300 Chinese.

Jourdan, Marsoilles Feb. 13, and Saigon

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> SHIPPING. ARRIVACH.

March 11. Nanskan, British steemer, 1,8/1. Fi Obloss ; for Kobe, Mr and Mrs Orn Me Boyell, Bangkok via Kah at physe Metro E. R. Sylve, and I Chipean I for Yokohama BHIPPING REPORTS.

The American steamer City of Rio de at 6.20 p.m. Janeiro reports: Have had good weather most of the voyage; from Shanghai, overcast. Passage from San Francisco, 28 days, 16 hours, and 56 mins. Passage from Shangh i, 57 hours and 23 mins. The British steamer Haitan reports

Strong N.E. monsoon and considerable sea throughout voyage. Steamer in Amoy: Yuensang, Steamers in Swatow : Keongwai and Glevialloch. The British steamer Tsinan reports Moderately, fine weather throughout.

The British steamer Benvenue reports Strong N.E. monsoon and confused sea all

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close :-

For SWATOW & BANGKOK .--Per Machew, at 8.30 a.m., on Tuesday the loth March. For SINGAPORE & COLOMBO.

Per Crefeld, at 9.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th March. For MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONO LULU & PORTLAND, OR,-Per Braemar, at 11.30 s.m., on Tuesday, the 15th March.

For SAIGON -Per Taiwan Maru, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 10th March. For HOIHOW & PAKHOI,-Per Frejr, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday,

the loth March. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW .-Per Haitan, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th March.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET,-The United States Mail Packet Venus will be despatched on TUESDAY, the loth March, with Mails for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows --

10.00 A.M. Registry oeases. 11.00 P.M. Post Office closes.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Daylight, - Haitan leaves for Coast Ports. 10 a.m.—Crefeld leaves for H'burg &c. Noun - Ossidental & Oriental Steamship

Co.'s Steamer Venus leaves for Shanghai, Japan and San Francisco. Noon. Braemar leaves for Portland, (0.), &c. 4 p.m. - Lycemoon leaves for Shanghai.

5 p.m. - Esmeralda leaves for Manila. Amusements. 9 p.m. - Brough Comedy Co. at the City

Miscellaneous. Goods per Bayern undelivered after this date subject to rent.

General Memoranda.

WEDNESDAY, Mirch 16:--3 p.m. -Auction of Leasehold Property, at Gap. Victoria Peak. 9 p.m. -- Meeting of Perseverance Lodge. 9 p.m. -Brough Comedy Co. at the City

THURSDAY, March 17 :-Goods per Gerda undelivered after this Goods per Maria Valerie undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Bencoirlich undelivered after this date subject to rent.



Per City of Rio de Janeiro, from San

LIMITED, SOLE AGENTS IN HONGKONG, CHINA

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Per Huitan, from Coast Ports, Dr and Mrs Cousland and 2 children, Mr and Mrs Ke up and I children, Mrs J. S. Roach and

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Alleman and shild, Miss V. O. Coshe, 1 THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY. ASTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1898. LOCAL AND GENERAL

STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL (SUPPLIED THROUGH RELTER.) OUTWARD BOUND :- Devoushire, January

Ciscla, 28; Hounslow, Feb Alton, Latona, Yarrowdale, 11; Rose Castle, 15; Shanghai, Te lamon, Manita, Monmonthshire, Oo. long, Andalusia, Avala, 16 to Benglot, Bowhead, St. Mary, Wally, 22; Saluzie, Queen Olga, Queen Margaret, 25; Poseidon, Antenor, Candia, St. Andrews, March 1; Formosa, Macduff, Kintuck Priam, Glenturret, Rugby, 4.6; Thekla, 8. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Malacca, Feb. 8; Myrmidan, Niebe, 11; Saglutien,

Benledi, Kriemhild, Della, 16; Preussen,

22; Ceylon, Yarra, Port Adelaide, March

8; Hector, Senta, 11.

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Chusan with the ENGLISH MAIL of 18th February, left Singapore on Sunday, the 13th March, at 8 a m., and may be expected here on or about Friday, the 18th March. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Jan.

The O. & O. Co.'s s. s. Garlie, with mails, left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 22nd Feb.

The C. P. R. Co.'s a. R. Empress of China left Vancouver on Thursday morning, the 3rd March, for Hongkong, and usual ports of call, The P. M. Co.'s s. s. City of Peking, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port via Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 3rd March.

Steamers Expected.

The R. S. Energia, from New York, left Singapore on the 6th March, and is due here on or about the 12th March. The O. S. S. Co.'s str. Menelans, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 9th again March, and may be expected here on or about Monday, the 14th March.

N. Y. K. s. s. Yamaguchi Maru left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 8th March, and is expected to arrive here on the 14th March. The s. s. Catherine Apran; from Calcutta,

left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of the 8th March. The N. G. I. s. s. Bormida left Singapore for this port on March 10th, and may be expected here on or about the 16th The N. Y. K. s. s. Tosa Marn left Yoko-

hams direct for this port on March 11th, and is expected to arrive here on the 17th March. The R a Bormida left Bombay on the 27th Feb., and may be expected to arrive here about the 19th March.

The Austrian Lloyd's s. a. Gisela left Singapore for this port on the afternoon of 11th March. The E. & A. s. s. Menmuir, from Sydney, &c., left Port Darwin on the 4th March for Timor and this port. gow and Liverpool, passed the Canal

on the 17th Feb., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the 10th March. The C. M. Co.'s str. Kintuck, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal Hongkong and Shanghai.
Banking Corporation on the 6th March, and may be consi dered due at Singapore on or about

the 24th March. The H. A. L. str. Andedusia passed Sucz Canal on the 18th Feb., and may be expected here about the 15th March. The O. S. S. Co.'s Tencer is expected to leave Singapore about 24th March.

Latest Advices.

The N. P. Co.'s a. a. Argyll arrived at Portland, Or., on the 11th March. from Japan. The N. P. Co.'s s. s. Mogul has arrived at Yokohama, and sails for Kobe and

Hongkong on the 16th Merch. Exchange. Honoxono, March 14, 1898. On London-

Bank, Wire, ... 4 months sight. Documentary, 4 months' sight, ...1/10 On demand, ... 234 Credite, 4 months' sight, On Borlin-Demand 1.88 On New York-On demand, ... Oredite, 60 days' sight On Bombay-On Calcutta-On Singapore-On demand. On Manila--On demand. On Shanghai-On demand. 30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 75 On Yokohama-On demand, Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per taol)... ... 355.75 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) ... \$10 66 Silver (per os.) 25 d.

Bacteriological and Agricultural Expert. On Saturday morning, a fire, attended by loss of one life, broke out on the first floor of No. 2 Graham Street. The ground floor is occupied as a pork and wine shop, and the first and second floors were occupied at family houses. The fire is supposed to have originated by means of some lighted joss sticks igniting a wooden partition. The Fire Brigade were quickly on the scene, and the fire was limited to the first and second floors, about \$400 worth of goods being destroyed and \$600 in money lost. The damage is not covered by insurance, All the inmates, except one old woman, had escaped from the burning house by clambering into the next house along the verandah. This old woman jumped from the first floor into the street. She was taken to the hospital, where she died soon after admission, from the shook.

> Looks Composure, S Pieces, by Creage, Wards, &c. Kmas 1897, Pelco, 21.00. 18 BORDER PLANS COMPRES

neso visitors to the City Hall Museum during the week ending 13th March.

The strike of coolies at the Tanjong Pagar Dock, Singapore, was still in force on the 7th inst.

H.E. the Governor of the Straits Settlements is to leave Singapore on holiday on the 27th inst. He is coming on to Hong-

A NAVAL and military rifle meeting will be held at Stonecutter's and Kowloon Naval ranges on Friday and Saturday, 18th and

description of Saturday's football match between Kowleon and the Royal Artillery; also the scores in Saturday's Cricket

It will interest intending passengers know that steamers conveying Chinese servants or amahs to Singapore are subject to quarantine the same as though they had Chinese passengers on board.

A NOTIFICATION appears in the Gazette that on and after the 1st April next the fees (payable monthly) at Queen's College will be \$36 per annum for classes I. to III. and 824 for classes IV. to VIII.

FIFTEEN members of the Police Force passed the first examination for certificates of the St. John's Ambulance Association, and one European and nine Indians obtained certificates for knowledge of Chinese during the year.

The following paragraph in a San Francisco exchange has reference to recent speeches by British Cabinet ministers :-Evidently the typowriter bureau of the British War Office is in good running order

and Nethersole Hospitals begs to acknowledge with thanks the following donation to the funds of the Hospitals :-

Choi Chi Mei\$25.00 Young Tait Sam 10.00 Ko Cheuk Sing 5.00

Ar the Magistracy to-day, Sorgeant McNab, Aberdeen, charged a shopkeeper at Aplichow, with being in possession of thirtyeight pounds of gunpowder, without having a licence. The accused was fined \$25, with the alternative of six weeks' hard labourthe powder to be confiscated.

The following returns of the average amount of Bank notes in circulation and of specie in reserve in Hongkong, during the month ended 28th February on cartified by the managers of the respective Banks, are

published: — Average Amount, Specie in Chartered Bank of India. Australia, and China National Bank of China, Ld. \$10,492,569 \$5,205,000

THE Captain Superintendent's report on the Police Force for the past year, states the year was not a healthy one. The admissions to Hospital were during the past

three years as follows :-Europeana... 81 Indians 233 Chinese 113

Stapley has again become unhealthy Yaumati was less healthy, and Aberdeen more healthy than in 1896,

Magistracy to-day, charged a Chinese far- Club. The Club was decorated for the mer residing in Chinese territory with defrauding the British Government of the motters hung on the walls. There was a rent of land held by him at Hau Pui Loong, large attendance, including Commander The defendant had held the land for some Luncombe, Liputenanta Thorpe, Perry sub-letting the land for two years at \$36 number of midshipmen from the Immortafine of \$50, with the alternative of six enjoyable evening was passed in song and weeks' hard labour.

Oscan Wilde's sparkling and clever comedy 'An Ideal Husband 'was repeated by the Brough Company on Saturday night, to a bumper house. Many residents are Lord Goring was one of the most finished pieces of acting ever seen in Hongkong and we are inclined to agree with them. It was indeed a treat, and worth coming a long distance to see. Mrs Brough's impersonation of Mrs Cheveley was so clever. that most of the large audience would have been pleased to see her removed custody for her wicked adventures. Miss Temple (as Lady Chiltern), and Hardy (as Mabel) were most successful The role of Sir Robert suits Plimmer admirably, and he does justice to the part. The old Barl was an amusing as ever. We are very pleased that this Company is being well supported. as it is but seldom Hongkong residents have the opportunity of socing such highclass acting here. - The Solicitor - Company. screamingly funny sketch of the experiences of a solicitor who takes the place of a cabman in London-is billed for touright and to-morrow night.

VESSEE AT THE DOUBS :-- An Reschon-Kwangles, Martin Battan Progress Propontie, H.I.G.M.B. Doutschlafte) Aberdoon - Watti

per The publication of this issue commenced | These were 220 European and 2,460 Chi. | It is notified in the Gazette that the Queen's exequatur has been issued empowering Mr Kisaburo Uyene to act as

Consul for Japan at Hongkong. Ir is notified in the Gazette that twolvemonths' leave of absence has been granted to Lieut. F. Maitland, Hongkong Volun-

teer Corps, from the 17th March. Taz Appropriation Ordinance for 1898 and the Ordinance to facilitate the Recovery of Possession of Tenements and Premises of small value have been approved.

THE stamp revenue last month was \$26,251.54, being an increase of \$7,210.18 ** On the 5th page will be found a long on the amount collected in the corresponding month of last year.

THIS morning, Vice-Admiral Seymour arrived in port, on board the despatch vessel Alacrity, and was received with the usual salutes from the warships in the

As Sir Claude Macdonald in a K.C.M.G. (not a K.C.B.), the additional honour of C.B. is unquestionably an honour which takes the form rather of a Distinguished Service Order. He deserves it.

Accomping to the Captain Superintendent of Police's annual report, licences were issued during the year for 500 Hongkong rickshas, 60 Kowloon rickshas, 25 Quarry Bay rickshas, 900 private vehicles, 496 Hongkong chairs, 24 Hill District chairs, 7 gharries, and 7,164 drivers and bearers.

Hon. F. H. May, in his sinual report, has the following reference to a question which we have frequently advocated .- I have again during last year advocated the licensing of domestic servants. Several families were boycotted by their chair coolies during the year, because the coolies objected to do a reasonable day's work. Coolies who are dismissed for misconduct or dishonesty find THE Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial re-employment as readily as do well-conducted and honest mon. Under a system of licensing and registration such would be impossible.'

> WE learn that, as the Hon. H. E. Wodehouse is still indisposed and unable to undertake the duties of the Colonial Secretary, the Hon. Sercombe Smith has been requested to postpone his leave in the meantime. It is perhaps a slight hardship on the worthy Colonial Treasurer, but he will perhaps console himself for the disappointment by resson of the honour of acting as Colonial Secretary even for a short period. We trust Mr Wodehouse will have a speedy recovery.

The following paragraph is taken from the New York Herald :- The will of Warren المناكر والمحار والمحاد والمحاد والمحاد والمستحد والمستحد والمستحد والمحاد وال home, Algonac, in Balmville, N. Y., was admitted to probate yesterday - Namburge Warren Delano, Jr., of Brick Church, N. J., qualified as executor. Warren Delano left a fortune of \$2,000,000. After bequeathing annuities of from \$100 to \$200 each to several employes and friends, Mr Delano gives Algonac to his son, Frederick A. Delano, of Chicago. The remainder of the estate is distributed equally among the children of the testator-Warren Delano Jr. ; Dora Delano Forbes, Annie Deling Hitch, Sats Delano Roosevolt, Catherine Delano Collier and Frederick A. Delano. James G. Graham, of Newburg, was appointed appraisor to determine the value of the estate.

THE Chief and First Class Petty Officers of

H.M.S. Immortalité bold a moking con-MR G. J. B. King, land bailiff, at the cort, on Saturday evening, at the Spamen's occasion with flage occ., and appropriate years, and paid no rent for it, but the Ayscough, McClintock, and Lenny, Flest officer was unable to lay hands on him Engineer Griffin, Chaplain Vandin, Assistuntil the other day. Defendant had been ant Paymester Whillier, and a large a year. Commander Hastings imposed a litte. Mr W. Mechan presided. A very sentiment, Lieutenant Thorne's Well rant and we'll roar like true British Sailors being taken up with great enthusisem by the whole company. Lieutenant McClintock was loudly applauded for his renderopinion that Mr Brough's personation of ing of McPhairson swore a feud, and "" Colour Sergeant Elliott was well received in his songs. C. E. R. A. Mechan and Carp. Mate Harmand were well received. and E. R. A. Cox, in his two character songs, Me and She and I was one of the Jays was most emusing. Sergeant Sevien's whistling solo, I dream that I dwelt in Marble Halls' was much appraciated. Commander Luscombe, in responding to the test of The Navy, tendered an apology from the Captain, who was prevented from attending by an engagement to dine with the German Admiral. The petty officers were assiduous in their attention to their guests, and the concert was in every way a huge success.

> VERY fine. New Walts by A. G. Ward. Pearl of the Best - Robinson Plate.

A street once asked the judge after the verdict was returned, whether the fact that The differed from his eleven brethren justice pay their shocking pin do at alth a chair

Carronant's first tout thould not be to

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS. (SUPPLIED TO THE ' Units Mart.')

London, 11th March, 1898. LORD SALISBURY'S INDISPOSITION. Lord Salisbury continues afling, and will be unable to go to the Riviera before Easter.

THE CHINESE LOAN.

The Issue of the Chinese loan is postponed to 21st instant, owing to certain regulations of the Berlin Bourse.

MR GOSCHEN AND THE NAVAL ESTIMATES.

Estimates, dwelton the continued expansion | number of lanterns being prepared shews of and improvement in the Navy. He said that they are determined to wait all night, that the nation may look forward with increasing confidence that if peace continues, it will be peace with honour; 'if war occurs, which God forbid, it will be a The first is that the export of rice from this war crowned by victory."

RUSSIA AND CHINA.

Count Muravieff has informed Sir Nicholas O'Conor that Russia is negotiating for a lease of Port Arthur and Ta-lieu-wan for a certain number of years, also for a railway across Manchuria, and that Russia had not demanded sovereign rights, neither had she threatened to send troops to Manchuria. . If the ports were lessed to Russia, they would open to foreign trade.

> HONOURS TO SIR. CLAUDE MACDONALD.

The order of Commander of the Bath (sie) has been conferred on Sir Claude Macdonald.

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued from the

Observatory : -On the 14th at 11.35 a. The harometer | Hotel. I last saw deceased alive on has risen in the Sea of Japan, and is little | the evening of the 8th inst., about halfchanged cisewhere. High pressure covers-N. Chino, and pressure is slightly low in the Club. At half-past one o'clock on the middle part of the China Sea. Gradients moderate on the coast, rather steep in the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast :- frosh N.E. winds ; fair.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

CARBENE MATCH The third match between teams representing the Dock Detachment of the Field Battery and the A. Machine Gun Co. result ed in a win for the Machine Gun Co. team | Henry Humphreys, who was tiffining with fired between these teams, the Machine be seen, made the highest score in the

A. MACHINE GUN CO.

yds. yds.

Serge Lammert ... 30 28 Gunner Northcote ... 25 19 222 214 197 633 DOCK DETACHMENT, F. B. Sergt, McPhail... 28 33 Gunner Stewart 32 24 Wilson 23 23 Corpl. Rutter 26 ... 26 Linut Macdonald Gunner Dess ... 28 26 13

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BROOM COMPETITION, F.B. The following are the results of the second spoon competition: First-Class Shots, Sorgeant Hayward 85 Gunner Deta Gunner Nobba. First Aggregate, Gunner Hart

Bombardier Brown 83 Second .. d. al B. S. M. Duncan Third .. Bombardier White 84 The shooting was again poor, although an improvement on last week.

The Perak Pioneer hears that Mr. Jackson, one of the latest joined Cadeta, has resigned his appointment in the Government service, as he finds the climate does not agree with him.

WHEN Uncle Sam builds a war ship that will hang together in storm or calm as well as a hig passenger steamer does, and not a glass on the wash-hand stand smelled of agreement was sanctioned by the sharecome in for repairs every time a gull lights on the yardarm, champagne will not be half good enough to christen her with.-San Francisco Chroniele.

THE Moralist writes in the Straits Times : -I admire the energy of Mr Whitehead of Hongkong. He is a bank manager, doing a considerable banking business even at the headquarters of the great eastern bank. In addition to that, he is a member of Legislative Council, devoting apparently an enormous amount of energy to the affairs of that Council. Further, he plays pole and, I believe, other games. When he has a holiday, he fills it by lecturing upon sleeping in his bed, under the bad clothes, which with his boad on the millow. I did not go the other day, that he occupies his for him. That letter came from No. 44 least that must fill these triends with dead, I returned the letter with the mestimable and manufactured in writing letters to his friends with dead, I returned the letter with the mestimable and the letter with the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the letter with the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the letter with the mestimation and the letter with the letter awe. The pamphlet that he has sent me, senger. After returning the letter, I entitled British Interests in China pro- senger. After returning the leader, a feason to be an extract, mark told Mr Buck. I want up again to the you la from a letter that Mr Whiteliesd wrote to a triend in England in April of 180 That extract contains, as I have calculated, about twelve thousand words. Teelye thousand words ! Ye gods and little fighes | What must his Whitehead's brandy to the deceased before, in the mornprivate correspondence come to, when an extract from one letter contains about as much matter as seven columns of the Brails Times

ONE DAY! And only the Master shall praise us, and only the Mester shall blame. And no constabil work for mover, and no one shall week for fame. But much for the fay of working, and much in his somewhere state. Thellucing with Thing at he come ! the last of the last of the last of the

RICE FAMINE AT CANTON. (From Our Oven Correspondent.) Canton, March 12.

To-day, a deputation of the trades, is

preparing to wait upon the Governor-General at his yamen to make representations with regard to the great increase in the price of rice. The rise has been very catties of ordinary rice could be purchased for a dollar; now, the amount has gone down to twenty-six catties. It is no wonder then that there is a lot of discontent | Ellis abroad in the city. A provious deputation got no satisfaction, but to-day they are Mr Goschen, in introducing the Naval going in greater numbers, and the large to their demands. They have two propositions to make to the Governor-General. Province be prohibited, and the second is that all rice from the outside be admitted free of duty.

THE DEATH OF MR H. COOK. INQUIRY AT THE MAGISTRACY. At the Magistracy to-day, Commander W. C. H. Hastings, Acting Police Mag trate, held an inquiry into the circumstances connected with the death of Mr H. New Club, who was discovered dead in bed, on 9th March, in his bedroom at the Club. Mr. Hart Buck, senior partner of Mesars J. D. Humphreys and Son, said-As Chairman of the New Club, I employed the deceased. Mr Harry Cook as Manager and Secretary of the Club. At the beginning of last October, he commenced his duties. Deceased lived on the premises of the Club. For about a year previous to his engagement in the New Club, he was employed by the firm of Messra J. D. Humphreya and Son as Manager of the Mount Austin Wednesday, the 9th, I was having tiflin in the Club, and the No. 1 boy told me he thought Mr Cook was sick, would I go up and see him? I went up to his room, knocked at the door, and got no answer. I entered the room, and found the deceased lying across the bed, on his back, with his feet almost touching the ground. He had on a suit of pyjamas, a singlet, and a pair of black socks. I touched him, found the body cold, not stiff, and came to the conclusion that he was dead. I at once went down to the dining-room, and told Mr by 24 points. Out of the three matches me, that I was afraid Mr Cook was dead. I asked him to come up with me, We returned together, and he also came to Gun Co. has won two and the Dock the conclusion that he was dead. We had Detachment one. Corporal Skelton, it will already sent for a doctor, and Dr Jordan arrived. He at once pronounced him dead. We looked round, and saw no sign of anythird match. The following were the thing having fallen from his hand. There was one empty hottle on the dressing-table, which Dr Jordan examined. Dr Jordan was unable to pronounce at the time the satisfaction at the Mount Austin Hotel.

cause of death. Dr Jordan advised us to send for the Police, and we at once sent for the Police and handed the room over to much so that he received a bonus of \$500 when the place was closed. Latterly, deceased was not, to my knowledge, an abstemious man. I have never seen him the by the Company to twenty-five per cent. in worse of drink; I only heard it from heartay. Up to the time he joined the a reduction of the purchase price, or the New Club, I believe, he was very abstemious. Latterly, he did not look as if he was taking care of himself; I saw very little of him. Deceased had not been giving me satisfaction, principally because he was very rarely at the Club. On the 8th, about half-past seven o'clock, I called in to see him at the Club. Some time before that, as I am about leaving for Australia, I gave him instructions to get some accounts eady, to ascertain how the Club stood. went into his office, and asked him to give me an idea of how he was getting on with the accounts. He had told his book-keeper to make up the accounts, and I had seen the hook-keeper during the day. Deceased looked 'puffy about the eyes. He was not depressed. I did not expect the statement to be ready, as I had heard from the bookkeeper that he had not finished it. Mr Cook was not working at it; the bookkeeper was working at it. I had no altereation with the decessed | I showed him I

was not quite pleased with him for neglecting his duties. I did not tell him the roason. His salary was \$150 a month, and board and lodging. He was not a married man, to my knowledge. From what I heard, he had been spending some money for some months past, and had not been sleeping much at the Club. The boy told me he had not slept at the Club on the night of the 8th, and he had come home about half-past six o'clock on the morning Mr Bailey succeeding in his projectof his death. The fire was just dying out when I went into the room. He had evidently been taking some 'neat' brandy, as

the morning paper. Tong Sang-I am a servant boy at the Now Club: I attended to the deceased Deceased did not sleep at the Club on the 8th. He returned at 630 a.m. on the 9th. For the last ton days he had been sleeping out nearly every night. At 7.30 a.m., he saked me to serve him with a pired, and probably by the next mail Library. glass of brandy. I took up a shorry glassfull of brandy. He was then in bed. The fire was burning; it had been lit by deceased. At 8.30 a.m., he rang for me again, and asked me for another glass of o'clock, I went to his room and found him | finished with him. told Mr Buck, I went up again to the room at 1:46 p.m. When I took up the

of brandy. I have never seen deceased America. The inquiry was adjourned till eleven p'clock to morrow.

I spreed my husband of finding fault with HIRM ON HEREIT

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PUNJOM MINING CO., LTD. THE LAPSE OF PROPOSED PURCHASE OF THE THE CLASH OF ARMS. By J. Bloundelle-

PROPERTY. The first ordinary general meeting of the Punjom Mining Co., Ltd, since the reconstruction, was held in the Company's Offices this afternoon. Mr D. Gillies presided. There were also present :- Mesara rapid. Only a few days ago thirty-two E. Burnie, W. R. Loxley (Directors), J. B. Duncan (Secretary), T. Howard, G. Murray Bain, H. Wicking, M. B. Polishwalla, J. M. E. Machado, E. W. Terry, D. Craddock, Mahomed, S. B. Bhabha and F. E. The Secretary read the notice convening

accordance with the Companies' Ordinance No. 1, of 1887. There is no business b be done at this meeting, but while you are if that is found necessary, to get an answer | here I may as well state for your information that the last letters received from the mine continue to give very satisfactory accounts of the progress made on the lode. Mr Philipps, the manager, is now of opinion that the main chute of ore will be found to be a continuation of the north and south lode. That is his opinion on the 21st February. If this is the case, it should be a very satisfactory matter for the shareholders, as we will then he right upon the lode without very much prospecting to do, and I hope in the course of another two weeks we will have the satisfactory information that ore is being got from the lode, and that the mili is working full time upon lode ore. As you are aware, for many nonths now we have lead to be satisfied with what we got from the headings. Cook, late Secretary and Manager of the The headings are of very low grade, and the results have been rather poor. However, it is very fortunate for the Company to have these headings, because they have enabled us to pay our way, returning a little more than working expenses. I may also mention that the lease is now being prepared which will give us fifty square miles of land, running north and south in the direction of the lode, and that all the pri vileges on the land adjacent to the Company's property, such as water rights and the cutting of timber, will be secured to us by the lease Thus I have shown that the Go vernment is dealing very liberally with the Company, at all events we have nearly everything we asked for from past seven or a quarter to eight o'clock, in them, and I think the concession they have given us with regard to water an timber rights is a matter that will be very much appreciated by the Company, and will be of great value to us. had been shut in and limited to the area of land which we had received on lease it might have put us to great disadvantage-if we had had to make arrangementa with the proprietors adjacent for the cutting of timber or right of way. All that has been seen ed to us, and will increase very much the value of our concession. may also mention that Mr Blamey has lefthe mine, and I believe he comes to Hougkong, and if he does so we will then he able to get any explanation he can give with regard to the Company. There is a letter here, received from Mr Bailey, who is now in London trying to obtain money for the purpose of prospecting down at Punjom. So far, I believe, his efforts have not been successful, but I will read

his last letter which many give question The Chairman then read a letter, dated 4th February, in which Mr Bailey stated that owing to the dulness of the mining market in London he had been unable to doat a suberne for the purchascof the Punjom property, and asked if other terms would he entertained for the purchase, suggesting a reduction of the interest to be retained the property, instead of 313 per cent, and A PASSIONATE PILGRIM. By Porcy White.

increase of the time allowed for exploitation, or both, The Chairman (resuming) said -Gentlemen, this letter is perhaps not altogether satisfactory, but seeing the improved prospects we have had at the mine, I do about it. I think our prospects are very much brighter than when we entered into negotiations with Mr Bailey, and although hear.) I think our property is worth all we ask for it, and I have every reason to believe that before another month is over we will find our selves very much atronger and in a much more presperous position. This logter will, of course, he concidered by the Board, and an answer sent to Mr Balley. but I think the upinion of the Board coin-

sides with my own, and that our shawer will be on the lines I have just stated. Mr Murray Bain-Might I ask what was the date whereon the understanding practically expires, or may expire, at the option of the Company, with Mr Bailey ! It appears to me that the bulk of the shareholders will agree with what you have stated that thuy would now-failing any possibility of just as soon work the mine themselves, as leave it to anyhody else. It may be remembered that at the meeting when the that liquor. He had evidently been reading | holders I especially called attention to the limitations and conditions in the event of Mr Bailey failing, and these were that we were to resume at once, and lose no time. Bailey to commence exploitation at the property was limited to the 1st

The Chairman—The time fixed for Mr March this year. That time has now exwe shall receive a letter from Mr Bailey withdrawing the offer, as he is not able to comply with the conditions entered into

Mr Murray Bain-That is to say, we are

with his head on the pillow. I did not go we need regret it, as our prospects are be- for supplying the city with water from the up to the room again until 1.30 coming very much better. We have now neighbouring mountains, some 12 miles p.m., where I went up with a letter got audicient money to develop the mine, distant. The present water supply is very difficulty in disposing of part or parcel of run dry in the dry season. Waterworks were helpless. bur property, if we wish to He then read the 18th Section of the agreement with Mr | boon to the growing population of Iloilo, Bailey, which is as follows :-

If the prospecting operations on the Singapore Free Press. second glass of brandy, I observed that the company a concession have not been started within aix months from this date (1st Sept., The following the brandy in my presence. I left both 1897) this agreement can be determined paper:—

> Mr Murray Bala-Notice has been The Chairman -- No, but it will be im mediately after the next Board meeting. Of course, the Board will have to meet and discuss this letter, and decide what future ection is to be taken, but there is no doubt that the letter will be written immediately after the meeting.

There being no further questions the Chairman thanked the chareholdess for ab-

REVIEWS. Burton. Methuen's Colonial Library. London, Methuen and Co., 35, Essex

St.; Strand; Hongkong, Kelly and Walsh, Limited. The book is appropriately named; there s nothing but the neigh and tramp and clatter of steeds, the ring and hiss and glitter of steel, and the shout and clang and pomp of war from the first page to the last. Andrew Vause, the wide-shouldered, s'outlimbed, fight-loving, fearless Englishman is worthy of a niche beside that of the irresis tible and doughty Zulu, Umalopogas, Rider Haggard's great creation; his heroic The Chairman said - As, notified by the and imselfish defence of the unconscious Secretary, this meeting has been called in De Bois-Vallée, against the cowardly attack of the maddened Rhenish peasants, is absolutely Homeric. Mr Bloundelle-Burton, like the author of 'Allan Quatermain, has no particular beauty of style he is by no means a literary opechmaker. He belongs to that numerous and busy throng of curious, ransacking writers about whom, quite recently in Edinburgh, Mr Arthur Balfour waxed so eloquently His English is vigorous and rough-hewn rather than elegant, as belitting his theme, but never vulgar, in frequent roughnesses and irregularities so too does Marlowe's and Shakespeare's ! but, as a rich and beautiful compensa tion, his book is packed to delightful repletion with rousing incident and stirring action. We are carried forcibly and steadily on by the strong current of energetic, ever-changing, musculing movement which permentes the whole book. The plot is quickly put before us, and unolded in a manner that is almost bewildering in its rapidity. When the climax is at last reached the close, as in every wellconstructed piece of such literary craftsmanship, is short, sharp and decisive. There is no loss of time, no waste of effort

> and vividly recalls the subject of Pettie's picture, 'A duel to the death.' 'The Clash of Arms' is one of that numerous class of stories to which we have previously referred, and in which historical events and personages are cleverly interwoven with the plot to give added interest and colour to the setting. The book goes back over two centuries, to 1674 and the first month of 1675-that eminently brilliant period when Turenne gallantly defended Alsace, and when, by a victorious and unexpected march during an exceptionally and severe winter, over the snow-clad tracks and ice-bound streams o the Vosges, he fell upon his unsuspecting and snugly quartered enemies in fruitful this point the tale ends, for Philip Vause is avenged. We might, at least, have expected to be taken through the short sum mer campaign between the Rhine and the Black Forest, in which the French Murshal, after outwitting his able adversary

or material here; a minimum of words and

a maximum of meaning is what has been

aimed at, and accomplished. The first

lonely meeting between Andrew Vanse and

Camille De Bois-Vallée is highly dramatic,

Henrietta, Duchess of Orleans, own-sister Madamo de Queronaillo, afterwards Duchess of Portsmouth, sent over to England by Louis XIV. to play the spy; the great Turonne himself; Colonel John Churchill, laying the foundations of that military reputation which at a later date of Dute of general of his age ;—these, and many other equally interesting historical characters. pass before us in the progress and pageant

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convincingly. When this is said, there re- ruscals had seized the fowl of one of the mains little more to be said in commenda- headmen of a village. Promptly seizing an not think we may be very much dewncast | tion of his book. It is impossible to respect | alarm gong, he beat it for all he was worth. the here who only escapes being a knave Armed with bamboos, knives, and ancient by-falling-under-the other category of the guns which had not been fired for some perhaps not the proper time to consider cynic's definition of mankind. Cakton tens of years, the people assembled to this this letter of Mr Bailey's, I may mention Blake, the son of a country roctor, has in Chinese rendering of 'the flery cross.' not think it would be wise to offer the pro- his schooldays some call-love passages Then a general shout went up : "To take perty at me readvantageous terms. (Hear, with the daughter of a dissenting preacher, people's heal! The egg-layer for the depriving him of a large portion of his with very little variation. 'To steal horitage, which falls mainly to Blake, whose performance of Esau's part is among | people's young hen !' (Kei Hong), said one the least preiseworthy traits of a somewhat | man, and rushing at a blunderbuse lying on contemptible character. Subsequently, we the ground he applied a match, muttering, find him dangling after Lady Cakton, still virtuous in act, and highly so in self-ostcom. but accepting intimacy and social assistance | hen, all the time : there was a shower of from her, and permitting himself to be characterised as her catalier's servent When bord Oakton dies, Blake desetts a worthier love almost won, to hasten back and re-engage himself to Sylvia before the earth has closed over her husband's coffin Thus it will be seen that the book is morbid and unhealthy in tone, that the hero is one of those weakminded youngsters who are lucky when they marry the governess instond of the cook, and that, readable as it is, no one will be the happier for an afternoon wasted over it. So many delightful books find their way to the colonies in Messrs Methuch's well-known crimsoncovered series that it is a pity Mr White's novel was admitted to lower the average high level of fiction in The Colonia

A DEPUTATION from the Municipality of Hollo has arrived in Manila, in order to obtain permission from the Government to brandy. I served him with it. At nine now in a position to tell him we are levy an export duty on produce leaving that port, to enable his body to entertain great force, and ho tous and other hoats had think that we should meddle as little as OF The Chairman-And I do not think the proposals made by a Hongkong firm to anchor, unable to move against such as proposed will prove an inestimable and its suburban towns of Molo and Jaro. -

> o at the end spell 'Su." what is a speller to do ! Then if also an s and an and and an h-s-d spell 'cide.' There's nothing much left for a speller to do but to go and commit Slouertysigh.

Voice or Experience. Liberary Applicant nome experience)—Several thousand steps

THE NORTH RIVER. SPECIALLY WRITTEN FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

their rice, a large, lumbering craft which blood. Ah; it was wind after all and not should have been kept to the centre of the phlegm!' said the other boatmen; 'See river came smashing into us, breaking he has thus forced out the wind into the several planks. There were many evil- blister on his forehead! looking characters on the boat, but my boatmen, conscious of the 'devil' on board and the terrorising power this gave them, bound the two boats together with a rope. and cut the craft advift. Instantly another speaks human speech; and then said to noose of bamboo rope was thrown over an outrigger, and then poles were seized and their spiked ends presented to the screaming, cursing enemy. Each individual began to shout himself up to the sticking point, and I saw it was time for me to interfere. suddenly appeared amongst the combatants. A lull fell upon the crowd for an coarse, or unhealthy. It is crude, abounds lightant. Then the chief men of each side rushed upon me, and some on one side and some on the other poured simultaneous torrents of language, loud as a cataract, into be paid by the beat that had run into ours. I duct of the district is firewood. The pine These were promptly paid.

The fact is, this boat had been pressed into the service of some official, and the captain had not into trouble, and so the boat was without a real master. Hence it came sidling down stream without a man at the helm, because it was rice time!

HUNANESE 'BRAVES.' several boats full of Hunanese 'braves' disbanded. The ex-pirate Lau I finds in Canton that the Hunaness are not amenable to his commands and squeezes, and so he has dismissed a large number of the

were accompanied by two gunboats, which were quite uscless. The soldiers, slinging over their shoulders their heavy two-hand-Lorraine, and utterly routed them. At ed knives overran the country, istealing the fairies go to dia. openly fowls and cabbages and anything good that came handy. The skippers of of China (the Miaotsz) are most accessible. the boats carrying the soldiers thought it al. very funny, until one day, no fowl being Montecuculli on the military chess-board, forthcoming elsewhere, the Hunanese consumed the fowl bought by the boatto Charles II; the infamous but beautiful men for 'the happiness of the gods' and their own enjoyment. Then the air was filled with wrathful but impotent curses. Everywhere the boatmen turned appealing hands to passing boats, and said : Das to blund youpla's fowl !" "That was inexpressibly vile ! Could anyone make for them an appropriate remark! Many tried in vain, and when I last saw the boatmen they were themselves still trying

I had the pleasure of witnessing a fight, if I may call it by that name, between these Mr White has a story to tell, and tells it | soldiers and the villagers. These Hunanese and is very properly and wisely jilted by family to It is always necessary for a Chi- Her Majesty has heard with deep regret of children under the age of 15, and of these his Sylvia. Afterwards, however, she nese mob to work itself up to an attacking the death from Plague of Nurse Florence about 70 are of school age.

Morgan, and desires to express her true. In my opinion, the time postage into a scoret marriage, thus point, and this was the touching war-ory, Morgan, and desires to express her true no doubt, 'Young hen,' 'people's young sparks, a great flash from both ends of the machine gun, and something went off with a loud report. I believe it was the gun, Thercupon, others took courage, and fired off into the air, in the direction of the Humanese soldiers, all their ancient artillery. All this time, the gong, never ceasing, was beating its clash of defiance, now and then growing fainter and fainter until 'people's young hen' came into the mind of the gong-hearer, when there was a renewed outburst from the gong, and the Hunanisa 'braves' fled-actually fled before the vallant villagers—and the 'young hen was restored.

> THE PERSICIOUS EFFECTS OF FOREIGN MEDICINE.

For some days, the north wind blew with wind. Fortunately, my low-built kai pin rupees convertible into drafts on sterling boat was able to bore into the north wind at the rate of 18 miles a day when other craft ment to remove all uncertainty which

One young man fell sick, and I gave him

some medicine that did him good. Feeling better the man jumped into the icy water, and assisted the trackers to drag the American boat against the wind. He caught another chill, in consequence, and, at once, foreign medicines were at a discount, for | patches show that Major Macdonald's ining, when he returned early in the morning. that effect at your address at Palace Hotel, and an a small state and a y and an aspell 'Su,' break for three glasses San Francisco, California, United States of what is a smalles to 3.2 foreign medicines were at a discount, for what is a smalles to 3.2 not only oute present sickness, but also tribes around the sources of the river Juba. prove a prophyllactic for all discussesespecially for dropsy! A man once book a suggesting that 500 men should be sent. dose of foreign medicine—quinine—and ten | Major Macdonald aubsequently urged that yours afterwards that man developed drop. A perblanent Indian force abould be sent -What atoms are necessary when you want class the perilidious and Incidious character Lubwas. to get but a book ! Borus (who had had of foreign drugs ! Those who partake of of foreign drugs | Those who partake of the Meraphy of a service grantee.

Inveign drugs are certain to develop some of Captain Barnel was serious to Salesta.

turn to the sick man. He procured a tel cup and bound it so tightly upon his forehead that all circulation was stopped within the circumference of the cup. In two The next day, as we were moored to the days the cup was removed, and there was embankment to enable the boatmen to get a large purple blister full of congested

A PERSONAL ENCOUNTER. While at anchor for the night, another boat came and moored alongside of us. promptly began to rage and stamp, and Hearing me speak in Chinese to one of my men, the occupant of the other best looked One of the defaulters leapt on board our boat at me and said supercitiously-Ah! he

> Did you not speak human speech (Kong yan shing). 'No,' I said, 'I spoke devil's speech.

'Oh, I thought I heard you speak

' Yes; it was Chinese,' I replied.

After leaving the Fei Loi Tsz Pass, the country is rather uninteresting near the river for some miles. There are brick fields where blue bricks are made. These sell my cars. I could not hear anything; but now for nearly six tacks per mil as against I had seen a good deal, and so commanding | four taels a few years ago. Silk is prosilence, Chinese fashion, with my hand, I duced and sugar grown in small quantities gave quick judgment-31 and a rope to in this neighbourhood, but the chief protrees are cut down about every twenty years, and cut up into faggots, which sell on the spot for about 20 conts a picul and in Canton at about 45 cents. The country away from the river is very hilly, pretty and well wooded. There are, however, no towns of any importance.

About eighteen Chinese or fifty-four It was near this place that we overtook | English miles north of Tsing Yun is the entrance to the Lin Chau branch of the bound for Hunan via Lok Cheung to be North River. Up this river is some of the prettiest river sconery in China. Great stalactites; covered with maiden-hair ferns and dripping with sparkling water, overhang the banks of the river on both sides | 'Mayor.' We don't want notoriety, but and almost shut out the sun from the deep These 200 or so of Hunanese gentry blue water below, while stalaginites stand forth like strong sentinels of the Pass. There are fine caves, too, in the hills of this region, where the tiger loves to lurk and

At Lin Chau, the aborigines of this part They come down from the lofty mountraveller may see them in the streets of the villages selling mountain medicines which

will work wonderful cures. On this river there are over 367 rapids, a fact indicating to those acquainted with Chinese landscapes the beautiful scenery to be found there.

At the corner of the Lin Chau river entrance there is a temple where resides T'so 'Chu Neung, one of the sisters of the Yut Shing mother of dragons. The third sister, Hap Shan T'in Hau, lives just below Miu or Great Temple. These gods are especially worshipped by the Waichau and Tungkun people.

W. F. WENYON.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(Times of Ceylon.)

THE PLAGUE IN BOMBAY. - MESSAGE FROM Bombay, February 25.—At Bombay others the land or the school buildings (in yesterday there were 122 attacks and 153 some cases both) have been given by the

oauses numbered-304. The Queen has sent a message saying There are now in Kowloon 116 European sympathy with all who suffer from her loss. Feb. 28. - For the forty-eight hours the Colony. The necessity of schools for ending yesterday morning there were 406 the European children resident on the Pendeaths from Plague in Bombay. The total insula or at the Peak is more argent new number of deaths from all causes was 68%.

BANK RATES STILL RISING. The Bank of Bombay has raised its rate

THE QUEEN DECORATES LORD FINCASTLE FOR GALLANTHY.

London, February 28 -The Queen today decorated Lord Fincastle with the Victoria Cross at Windsor Castle. THE TIBAR EXPEDITION.

Calcutta, February 23 .- The Third Brigade of the Tirah Expeditionary Force, under Brigadier-General Hamilton, as now dinary changes that have been occurring in constituted, consists of the Royal Irish the Colony during the past few years .-Regiment, the Duke of Cornwill's Light Yours, &c. Infantry, the Gordon Highlanders, the 1-3rd Gurkhas, the 2nd Punjab Infantry, the 28th Bombay Pioneers, and No. 4 Company, Madras Sappers and Minors. THE INDIAN CURRENCY QUESTION.

Calcutta, March 1. - The - Englishman publishes two letters from Lord Farrer, in which the hope is expressed that all parties are beginning to ace how that a stendy in it. storling Exchange is the one thing wanted, and that this is only to be obtained by rupees being convertible into gold Lord Farrer says he is also much disposed to possible with the circulating ourrency in India, and insure convertibility by making reserves located in London. Lord Farrer adds that it is the special duty of Governarises from want of knowledge of its intentions. Commenting on the letters, the Englishmen says that were the Government of India to promise definitely that the rapee will be convertible by an early date, the revent monetary origin would at once disappear.

THE UDANDA OPERATIONS. London, February 28 .- Uganda desstructions, which hitherto have been kent secret, were to establish relations with the Commissioner Jeckson first spired for the This proved conclusively to all his of the gallantry of the Indiana before Fore

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE PROPOSED KOWLOON RATE. PAYERS' ASSOCIATION ... To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Kowloon, March 14, 1898.

Sir,-The letter from 'Why Not?' in your issue of 11th inst. contains a very practical suggestion, and I fully endorse your editorial foot-note thereto. The idea of a General Purposes Committee is, however, not quite new to many Kowloon Residents, but when the matter was under discussion some time ago, it was considered advisable to centralise all our energies on the one crying want-the European School-and after that was ar-

ranged, to organise a Committee or an Asso-

ciation on the lines auggested by your

Correspondent. It seems scarcely possible that the Government can hold out much longer against the demands of Kowloon for a European School, and the scheme outlined by 'Why Not?' may, therefore, be within measurable distance of accomplishment. If, how-ever, resistance should still be offered to the demand for the European School, it will at once become the duty of the Kowloon Residents to organise a new Committue, with power to appeal to the Secretary of State, and such Committee may be equally entrusted with the care of any other matters touching the interests of Kowloon

Such an Association need not be in an sense antagonistic to the authorities. I should be its aim rather to assist the Go-

vernment than to worry it. After the School, be matter of a Resident Doctor is, perhaps, the most important. Then comes the matter of a recreation ground, which should be taken in hand before all the open spaces suitable for the purpose are appropriated for building. I heard recently that the Kowloon Football Club, having no ground on our side, applied for a practice ground at the Happy

Valley and were refused ! The Association should also guard against encroachments of Chinese houses within the lines of European residences. Sanitation and policing are bound to be more difficult and inefficient when the elements demanding different treatment are mixed, and before it is too late, the Government should be persuaded to draw lines of demarcation between European and Chinese

There are the further questions of a market and protection from fire, with which the Association might-well employ itself. I trust, however, the Association will not occupy itself with the question of a only that consideration to our just demands which we have hitherto been denied .- I

am, Sir, your obedient servant,

To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL.' Hongkong, March 12.

Sir,-I agree in the main with your correspondent signing himself 'Why Not?' but as there is a prospect of the Kowloon . European School agitation entering upon a new phase it would, I think, be inadvisable tains round Lin Chau, and the foreign to interfere with the action of the present School Committee.

With regard to the proposed school, I think the attention of the general public, as well as the Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council and the Government should be especially called to the following extract from your Canton correspondent's letter of 10th inst :-

Many Chineso who were studying in Canton last year have removed to Hongkong and entered Queen's College or some of the numerous educational establishments in. your Colony. Of course, it is difficult to make and keep a good school in this city without endowments, sceing in your best best government school only a dollar a the Lin Chan river entrance, in the Tai month is charged, and in not a few cases the teaching is free. Surely it was neverthe intention of those who framed the educational system of Hongkong to give rec education to Chinese from the mainland, who are well able to pay.

-It is a fact that there are on the Kowa loon Peninsula no less than 16 schools for Chinese children, and not a single school where European children may be educated. At Yaumati, the Government maintains a school and gives free education to some 50 or 40 Chinese boys | and in the case of the deaths from Plague. The deaths from all Government to the Missions managing the

In my opinion, the time has tome for a radical change in the educational system of than it was a few years ago. The assistance of the Unofficial Members of the Legislative Council is to be invoked and it is to be hoped they will be ready to recognise the present necessities and growing importance of Kowloon, and will urge the Government to give the European children here the primary educational facilities that may be obtained in the remotest parish of England, Scotland or Iroland. Up to be present time, the Green vernment has shirked its responsibilities. and has failed to recognise the extraor-

THOS. H. REID.

He was a wofully thin man, and when he applied for work as a sandwich man-one of those peripatetic advertising machines, you know-he was told that 'it would never do; it would bring our sandwiches into disrepute to exhibit one with no mest

	Quotations.
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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANT. WERP, SOUTHAMPTON AND

SINGAPORE.

THE Company's S. S. Wakasa Maru, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND Godown Co.'s Godown at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions are given to the contrary before Noon, To-DAY. Goods not cleared by the 18th Instant will be subject to rent;

No Fire Insurance hits been effected. All Ship-Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a cortificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company, and sent in to this Office within ten days after the vessel's arrival liere, after which no Claims will be recognised.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. Hongkong, Manalatt, 1898,

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S STEAMER PESHARUR.

FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-U named Versel are hereby informed that their Goods and being landed and placed at their risk in the Honokono AND KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 14th Instant, at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance will be effected by me

in any case whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival

here after-which no Claims will be re-

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, March, 8, 1898 NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP BRAEMAR. FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO HAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

INBE above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-

signees' risk and expense. -DODWELL, CAREILL & To.,

Hongkong, March 8, 1898. FROM HAMBURG, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE

frite Steamship Gord to Captain J. EHLERS, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned, and on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant, at Day to take immediate delivery of their Goods light. from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless

notice to the centrary begiven before Noon Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hoxa-KONG&KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN CO., LD., and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 17th March

will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 17th March, at

No Fire Insurance has been effected. SLEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, March 9, 1898.

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE.

THE S. S. Maria Valerie, having strived. Consiguees of Uargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being lauded at their risk into the Godowns of the HONGRONG AND KOWLOON WHARP AND Godown Co., LIMITED, whence delivery may be obtained.

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the 17th March will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDÈR, WIELER & Co.,

Hongkong, March 10, 1898.



Shipping. Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. Lue Co. s Steamship Captain Roson, will be desputched for the above orts TO-MORROW, the 15th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, March 14, 1898. 527 on or about the 24th March. NDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Steamship Captain BRADLEY, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, March 10, 1898

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

FOR TAKOW. The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Benson, will be despatched as above on WEONESDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, March 12, 1898 OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED, FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND

PORTS, SYDNEY, LAUNCESTON & MELBOURNE,

The Co.'a Steamship Captain Ransay, will be desparched on WED-NESDAY; the 16th Inst., at 3 p.m. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered

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Hongkong, March 11, 1808 AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. (UNDER MAIL CONTRACT WITH THE

Austrian Government.) STEAM TO SHANGHAI AND KOBE: The Co.'s Steamship GiselaCaptain L. Berlich, will leave for the above Places

For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER, WIELER & Co., Hongkong, March 12, 1898.

GOEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co's Steamship Patroclus.

Captain DICKENS, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 19th Instant. For Freight, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, March 8, 1898. 503 MOGUL-WARRACK-MILBURN LINE.

FOR NEW YORK WIA SUEZ CANAL. AGENCIES :-The Steamship

to be despatched for the above Ports on the 22nd B.S. Lennox, to sail about 12th April. S.S. Pathan, to sail about 20th April. S.S. Energia, to sail about 5th May. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hougkong, March 12, 1898. FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL

The Steamship Benalder, " POTTER, Master, will be despatched as above on or about the 5th April.

To be followed by :-S.S. Merio- ethshire, on or about 25th April. S.S. Queen Margaret, on or about 10th May. S.S. St. Ninian, on or about 25th May.

S.S. Craigearn, on or about 15th June. For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Hongkong, March 10, 1898.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The British Barque W. L. FORSTES, Master, will

load here for the above Port. and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.

Hongkong, Murch 7, 1898. SECOND EDITION.

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Hongkong, February 22, 1898. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

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Captain Nelson, will be steamer p TUESDAY, the 29th Instant, at 3 p.m. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered is situated forward of the Engines. A Refrigorating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly-qualified Surgeon is carried, and the Vessel is fitted through-

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INUE Etcamship BENGAL, Captain L. M. WIRMER, R.N.R., parrying Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on SATURDAY, the 19th March, at Noon, taking Passengers

and Cargo for the above Ports. Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and

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NOTICE.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, EGYPT, MARSHILLES, MEDITERRANKAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS; LONDON,

PORTS OF BRAZIL & RIVER PLATE.

HAVRE, BORDHAUX:

YN SATURDAY, the 26th March, at Noon, the Company's Steamship OCEANIEN Capt. Sommirz, with MAILS. PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for MARSEILLES

with the a.s. Ville do to Ci. tat, which vessel takes on her Passengers and Mails, leaving A Stock of the Compositions is kept'ready that Port on the 7th April, direct to SUEZ, PORT SAID and MARSEILLES. Cargo and Specia will be registered for London as weri as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the Shipping Orders, will be granted to

> Cargo will be received on board until 4 302 pm. Specie and Parcels notil 3 p.m. on the 25th March. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents and value of Packages are re-

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Hongkong, March 12, 18 8.

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N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in KUSSIA.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG. SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.

Bayern. | Wednesday | March 30. Print Heinrich | Wednesday | April 27. Preussen | Wednesday | May 20. Sachsen | Wednesday | June 22. Buyern | Wednesday | July 20. Prinz Heinrich | Wednesday | August 17. Darmstuct | Wednesday | Sept. 14. Preussen | Wednesday | October 12.

Suchsen | Wednesday | November 9. Bayern | Wednesday | December 7. Prinz Heinrich | Wednesday | Jau. 4, 1899. N WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and March, 1898, at 9 a.m., the Company's Inland Clides of the United States, in Large and Small Boxes of Pretty Designs S. S. BAYERN, Captain E. Parks, with Overland Railway, to Havana Tripled.

calling at NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Freight will be received on board until 4 Noon, on Monday, the 28th Instant, p.m. the day previous to sailing. Percel Cargo and Specie will be received on Packages will be received at the office until board until 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 29th 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packagon Instant, and Parcels will be received (at should be warked to address in full; value 13, D'Aguilar Street, Hongkong, the Agency's Office) until Noon, on Tuesday, ot same is required. the 29th Instant. Contents of Packages Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo are required. No Parcel Receipts will be destined to points bayond San Francisco

> The Steamer has aplanded Accommodation and parries a Doctor and a Stewardoss. Iduen can be weeked on board. For further Pariduclara, apply to MELOBERS & Co.,

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HONOLULU, PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG, Venus (via Nagasaki, Inland Sea and Yokohama) Guelic (via Shanghai,

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hama & Honolulu) (THE Co.'s Chartered Steamer VENUS wu, be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, vid NAGASAKI, KOBE, IN. China and Japan Governments. LAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, TO-MOR.

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INLAND SEA OF JAPAN and call at HONOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the various routes

may be obtained upon application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China

Passengers who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year, will allowance does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe, All Parcel Packages should be marked to

iay provious to sailing. Consular Involves to accompany Cargo IDZUMI MARU, destined to points beyond San Francisco in the United States, should be sent to the Ucmpany's Offices, addressed to the Coitestor of Oussums, San Francisco.

-J. S. VAN BUREN,

U. S. Man Line.

UUNLA PARTE. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. City of Kio de Janeiro (vin S'hai, N'saki, WEDNESDAY, March

Kobr, Imand Soa, 7 23, at daylight L'asma & H'iulu) City of Peking (via) S'hai, N'auki, Kobe,

Inland Sea, Yuko-9, at noon, hama & Honoluju) China (via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inimid Sea and . at noon,

HHE U.S. Mail S.S. CITY OF RIODE JANEIRO will be despatence to SAN FRANCISCO, vid SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KORE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU, on WED-NESDAY, the 23rd March, at Daylight, taking Passengers and Freight for Ja au, the Oulter States, and Europe.

Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at HUNOLULU, and passengers are allowed to break their journey at any point en route. Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli-

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SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE, 1898

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be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This TOSA MARU. address in full; and same will be received SAGAMIMARU. at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the

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Claughang, March 14, 1898,

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BOMBAY, Via SINGAPORE (Transhipping Cargo for JAVA PORTS) and Colombo. KANAGAWA MARU WEDNISDAY, 23rd. KOBE and YOKOHAMA. March, at 4 p.m. YAMASHIRO MARU) NAGASAKI, KOBE and YOKO MONDAY, 28th HAMA. SYDNEY and MELBOURNE, FRIDAY, 1st April, Via THURSDAY ISLAND, TOWNSVILLE

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March, at 4 p.m.

at &p m.

pany's local Branch Office at No. 7, Praya Courts. Sailings, Etc., apply at the Com-A. S. MIHARA, Manager:

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Northern Pacific Railway, Tacoma, Wash., for Goods forwarded via that port, and to the Freight Agent, Oregon Railroad and Navigation Ca., Portland, Orgeon, for Goods Shipped by that route. Parcels must be sent to our Office (with address marked in full) by a pine; on the day previous to sailing. For further information as to Passage or Freight, apply to

Ganeral Agenta. 505 INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION BEN LINE OF STEAMERS. COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALOUTTA, PENANG AND STEAMSHIP BENVOIRLIGH. SINGAPORE,

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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

THE Company's S.S. Kutsang having

arrived from the above Ports, Con-

Hongkong, March 11, 1898.

General Managers. will be souged to rent.
All Claims eguinsfalse Steamer ment be presented to the Undersigned to be before Hongkong, March 8, 1888. FUJIYAMA & Co. TEALERS in all Rinds of JAPANESE

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HONGRONG FOOTBALL SHIELD COMPETITION.

competition was played on the ground of the Hongkong Football Club at the Happy Valley on Saturday afternoon, the contesting teams being the Kowloon F.C. and the 25th Company, S.D., R.A. Two seasons ago, the Kowloon Club won the cup, defeating H.M.S. Centurion in the final last season, the first of the competitions | kick Winch kicked behind. Wilson again for the present Challenge Shield, the Kowloon team was defeated by the Centurions expected that the Kowlconites would was only a question in football circles whother they were good enough to beat the G. Company of the King's Own Regi-

with a strong oun in their eyes. For some time the play was onen the ball travelling dismay of the Kowleon supporters, missed amartly from and to end. The R.A. tried several long shots at goal, but nothing resulted. After Burrell had caught one of these shots and thrown out, the Kowloon forwards had a dashing run to the other end, and with the goal at their mercy, twing to the goalkeeper having come out or twice the Rowloon right wing, Gow and and missed the ball, one of the forwards Barlow, exhibited welcome flashes of good kicked wildly behind: - The goal-kick was play, but the Artillery back division was returned by Wilson, and Barlow sent in | too heavy for them and all attempts to go a good shot which the goalkeeper caught a shot at goal were promptly chesked A second attempt to score again sent Just about this time, the left back and the ball over. The R.A.'s, who were one of the half-backs, without being presplaying a better game than the local team, sed by any of the Kowloon forwards, now took up the running, and repeatedly indulged in some long kicking into touch, got past the strong half-back division of their object being palpably to waste time Kowloon. Fine play by Ritchie enabled They were unconclous, apparently, that Kowloon to press, but Winch lost the hall Mr Oliver, the referee, was allowing for by passing forward too aron. Shortly time thus deliberately wasted. A sportsthereafter, from a throw-in, Wilson placed manlike remonstrance from Lieut. Lloyd field, and Duncan took up the place and game, put a timely stop to these tactics, sent over to McSwayed, who sent the ball and from this point till the end the R.A. spinning across the goalmouth. Both backs entity kept the upper hand. The score at missed, and Barlow rushing up in the nick | the close was :-

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and went behind. A foul against Ritchie, who was certainly transgressing the rules somewhat frequently, gave the Artillery relief, but the Kowloon forwards were in the vicinity of the Artillery goal when the

whistle sounded for half-time. Score :-Kowloon 1 goal. ROYAL ARTILLERY 1 goals Kicking off, the Artillery at once took charge of the game. From the left wing, a fine stinging shot was sent, and Burrell was lucky to get hold of it and punt out before being charged. Shot after shot was sent in by the Artillerymen, mostly at long range, but the Kowloonites defended well. Finding himself too sorely pressed on one occasion, Dyor, conceded a corner. In the exciting play that followed, Dyer twice saved, and Kowloon broke through the sturdy half-back line and got down on the 27 R.A. goalkeeper. A raking shot from Barlow was picked up by the goalkeeper, who, finding himself being charged by Winch and MacSwayed, carried the hall across the goal. For this infringement, the referee allowed a free kick almost under the bar. Barlow took the kick and sent over to Smillie, whose kick was returned to Wilson, and lying handy this half-back scored. Kowloon, 2; R.A., 1. Excitement now ran high. The Artillerymen-were-oxperiencing hard lines, for they certainly had most of the play. Three attempts to score were frustrated by Dger, Wilson, and 18 Lapsley respectively, and then, after a suc-19 cossion of throws in about midfield, the Kowloon forwards sprinted to the R.A. goal, where Barlow missed by a few inches. 19 Again the play settled down at the Kowloon end, and after a spell of excellent play, the Total for 4 wkts., ... 183 military centre forward sent in a stinging shot. Burrell caught the ball, but it had

> and fell inside the goal. It was about this time that Ritchie had a bad spill and injured his left shoulder, and for the remainder of the game, although he did not leave the field, he was hors de combat. Duncan, the Kowloon centre forward, was also going lame, which disorganised the forward line. Making the most of their advantage, the Artillery forced the pace, and the defensive resources of Dyer, Lapsley and Wilson were taxed to the uttermost. The Kowloon players began to realise that theirs was a desperate case, and that their chances of getting into the final were becoming more remote. Dyor was not playing a showy game, but his defence; was exceptionally good, and Wilson, who had Ritchie's wing to watch in addition to the centre, quite excelled himself. But the Kowloon-forwards played a nerveices, losing game. Lapsley's long, clean kicking was

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much admired, and he played far better in this game than he had been expected to do. Play was fast and exciting, both sides having a fair amount of the play, and just before time the Kowloon forwards lost the opportunity of the day of winning the Barlow and Gow had got past the left half-back, and Barlow came down the touch-line in full career, ending up with a shot across the goal-mouth. Winch, on the goal-line, was not in a good position to score, so he returned the ball across to Barlow, who was too well watched to score. Smilli or MacSwayed ended the suspense by kicking behind. Almost immediately after, the

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ROYAL ARTILLERY, 2 goals.

whistle sounded. Score :-

A short consultation was held as to whether extra time should be played. In their crippled condition, it would have suited Kowloon to stop play, but the Royal Artillery wisely decided to go on playing, and as their man seemed in good condition and able to last better than their opponents it was generally-anticipated that Kowloon would be beaten Kowloon kicked off from the Monument end. The Artillery were the first to show up prominently, but Dyer checked, and a remarkably fine display by Wilson let his forwards up the field. Barlow ran the ball behind, and after the goal found a chance for his forwards, but there was a lack of organised play, and Winch kicked behind. A fine run by Barlow was neutralised by a weak attempt to score by Gow. The Artillerymen, excited probably by the almost continuous exhortations of their supporters, were playing rather wild-A long kick by Lapsiey, and a nicely combined run by Barlow and Gow, enabled the Kowloon forwards to get within scoring distance. Barlow-sout-the ball-dangers ously across the goal, and Winch sliould have scored, but didn't. The RA. left wing now showed up again, and without wasting time in passing from forward to forward in front of goal, as their opponents From about thirty yards out, Lloyd. the long drooping shot, Eurroll, to the badly, and the game was lost and work. R.A. 3 goals | Kowloon, 2 goals. For the remainder of the ten minutes, the

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local trophy for two successive years, their indifferent exhibition against the D. Co., K.O.R., the other day, gave the impression that they were not good enough for had done, they went in for long shooting. Kowloup. Losing the toss, Rowloon had to play Thomas tried for goal, and, misjudging

of time sent the ball past the goalkeeper. Kowloon, 1; R.A., 0. Nosooner was the ball in play again, than Ritchio initiated a

the direction of the goal, and the latter tillery play the long passing game, quite in Swator ... - - - ans 3 b with an open goal before him headed over contrast to the Kowloon style : and they Canton ... - - - - the cross-bar. The R.A's again got possession, and a rather wild kick by Lapsley rebounded off one of the Artillery forwards. Just as the left winger was about to shoot, he was overtaken by Dyer, and the pressure was relieved for the moment. The R.A. left wing continued to give truble, Libyd-Thomas's was a distinct acquisition, and the ground the two goals he scored, even allowing Roberts and the two goals he scored, even allowing Roberts and far out on the left this player book a long shot at Rurrell's licking. The half-banks are a hard
timed to give truble, Libyd-Thomas's and the two goals he scored, even allowing Roberts and Roberts left this player took a long shot at Burrell. kicking. The half-backs are a hardy trio, and the backs fairly accurate both hands, but with the sun right in his in their long kicks. With more opporequalised amidst the resounding cheers of want a lot of watching in the final. the strong military element among the The Kowleen play was very disappointing spectators. It was a chot that is ordinary Wilson and the two backs, Dyer and circumstances Burrell would have safely Lapsley, rose to the occasion, Lapsley in negotiated. From the kick-off, the Artil-particular showing that with a little more invaded. Lloyd-Thomas best coaching and experience be will make a humin Wilson and essayed another shot, which very fine player. Had it not been for these 100. Wilson and assayed another shot, which went rather wide of the mark. Rowloon three men the Artillery coors would have three men the Artillery coors would have kicked over. Dyer from distinguished himself with a run up the whole length of the fall, not stopping till he was among the fall of to of the formards and person the hall of to of the formards and person the hall of to of the formards played up to form, and the hall of to of the formards played up to form, and the hall of to of the formards played up to form, and the hall of to of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the formards played up to form, and the hall of the formards played up to form, and the formards played up to form and formards played up to formards played up to form and formards played up to formards played up to formards played up to formards played up to formards played up t

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North-China Insurance Co., Ld.	5, 000	2	100	246	Fig. 198
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MINING.	2 10 000		1	3. 1.	
Jelebu Mining & Trading Co., L	20, 000	2.5	. 6		33, buyers
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Great Eastern and Ualedonia	2 1 18 000	ğ		ar Makadar Tanjara	\$1.90, buyers
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PLANTING, ETC.	95,000			2.50	
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